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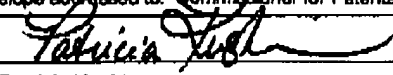
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| AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL FORM | | | Application Number | | 10/574,800 | |
| | | | Filing Date | | 1/3/2007 | |
| | | | First Named Inventor | | KATO | |
| | | | Art Unit | | 1794 | |
| | | | Examiner Name | | Vo | |
| Total Number of Pages in This Submission | | | Attorney Docket Number | | 24-033-TN | |
| TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS: Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated as shown below. | | | | | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Enclosure(s): <input type="checkbox"/> Drawings <input type="checkbox"/> Other enclosures (Identify below) | | | | | | |
| CLAIMS AS AMENDED | | | | | | |
| | CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT | | HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR | NO. OF EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT | RATE | ADDITIONAL FEE |
| TOTAL CLAIMS | 5 | MINUS | 20 | 0 | \$52 | 0 |
| INDEP. CLAIMS | 1 | MINUS | 3 | 0 | \$220 | 0 |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above-identified application for: | | | | | | |
| | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | one month (37CFR 1.17(a)(1)) | | | | \$130 |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> | two months (37CFR 1.17(a)(2)) | | | | \$490 |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> | three months (37CFR 1.17(a)(3)) | | | | \$1,110 |
| TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT | | | | | | \$130 |
| Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT is reduced by half, and is: | | | | | | \$ |

☐ A check in the amount of \$ is attached. Please charge any additional required fees to Deposit Account 50-1147.

☒ Please charge the fee set forth above and any additional required fees to Deposit Account 50-1147.

☐ No fee is believed to be required. However, please charge any unforeseen fees to Deposit Account 50-1147

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| SIGNATURE OF ATTORNEY | | | |
| Firm Name | Posz Law Group, PLC (Customer Number 23400) | | |
| Signature |  | | |
| Printed name | James E. Barlow | | |
| Date | 23 April 2009 | Reg. No. | 32,377 |

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| CERTIFICATE OF TRANSMISSION/MAILING | | | |
| I hereby certify that this correspondence is being facsimile transmitted to the USPTO or deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1480, Alexandria, VA 22313-1480 on the date shown below. | | | |
| Signature |  | | |
| Typed or printed name | Patricia Kushin | Date | 23 April 2009 |